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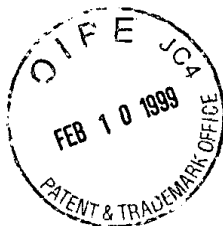
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Re: U.S. Patent Application
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For: **New Protein-Polycation Conjugates**
Inventors: Birnstiel *et al.*
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Transmittal Letter (*in duplicate*);
2. Fee Transmittal (*in duplicate*);
3. Notice of Appeal From the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences - Large Entity (*in duplicate*);
4. Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) (*in duplicate*);
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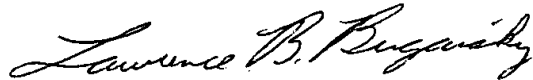
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Respectfully submitted,

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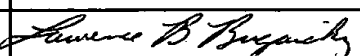
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